GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Establishment. – Agricultural Marketing Dept – C.M.F. Service -- Assigning Pay Scales to the Assistant Engineers working in Agricultural Marketing Department under CMF Service on pay with the other Assistant Engineers working in Panchayat Raj, Irrigation and Roads and Buildings Depts. since Revised Pay Scales, 2005 – Proposal Examined – Accepted - Orders - Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (Mktg.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.NO.227 Dated:12-04-2017.

Read the following:-

1. The C&D of Marketing, A.P.,Hyd.Lr.No.Estt. CMF/3-93/2008, dated: 26.11.2008.
2. Govt. Memo. No.14051/AM.II(1)/2008, Dated: 23.4.2010.
3. Judgment of the Hon'ble Tribunal, dated: 5.9.2013 filed by Sri D. Ravi Durga Prasad,AE(AM) and others.
4. The Honble H.C. of Judicature at Hyderabad for the State of Telangana and State of A.P., Judgment dated: 19.11.2014 in W.P.Nlo.30164/2014 filed by the C&DOAM,A.P., Hyd.
5. G.O.Ms.No.14, A&C (Mktg.I) Department, dated: 17.4.201.
6. From the C&DAM, A.P. Hyderabad, Lr.No.Engg.Estt.1442/2015, Dated:29.9.2015 & 30.11.2015.

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ORDER:-

In the letter 1st read above, the Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Hyderabad has submitted proposal along with the representation, dated:22.10.2008 of certain Assistant Engineers under the control of Central Market Fund Service (CMF Service) in Agricultural Marketing Dept to allow the pay scales of Assistant Engineers in CMF Service on par with other Govt Department's Assistant Engineers like Roads and Buildings, Panchayat Raj and Irrigation Departments at Rs.8815-20300 (RPS'2005) instead of Rs.7770-185575 (RPS'2005). The Government have examined and rejected on the ground the scales recommended by the 9th PRC were accepted by the Govt and orders have been already issued in G.O.Ms.No.52, Finance (PC.I) Dept., Dated: 25.2.2010 for implementation. On the file of O.A.No.4811/2010 by certain A.E's. (CMF Service) before the A.P.A.T., the Hon'ble Tribunal in its judgment 3rd read above observed that, as the qualification for recruitment to the post of Asst. Engineers working in CMF Service and the qualification for recruitment to the post of A.E's working in Agricultural Marketing Dept and Agricultural Marketing Committee Service in the same Dept being the same and also to that of the A.E's in R&B, P.R. and Irrigation Depts, the respondents cannot discriminate and reduce the pay scales of Assistant Engineers of CMF Service from PRC, 2005 having and violation of Article 14 of the Constitution of India. When the Nature of works of Asst. Engineers in CMF service itself is same and the qualification is also same, the applicants are entitled to get the same pay scales as that of the Asst Engineers working in other Govt Departments like Roads and Buildings, Panchyat Raj, Irrigation Depts and Tribal Welfare Depts. and directed the respondents (i.e. the Principal Secretary , A&C Dept and the Principal Secretary, Finance Dept) to pass appropriate orders revising the Pay Scales of the applicants on par with A.E's working in the same Dept of Marketing and other Govt Depts like P.R., Irrigation and Roads and Buildings. The Govt have appealed against the orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal in the ref. 3rd read above before the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.30164/2014 which was dismissed in its orders, dated: 19.11.2014.

2. The Govt have examined and issued orders to the Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Hyderabad to implement the above orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal and to fix the Pay Scales of Assistant Engineers under CMF Service working in the Agricultural Marketing Dept

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(since RPS'2005) on par with Assistant Engineers working in the same Dept of Marketing and other Govt Depts i.e. P.R., Irrigation and Roads and Buildings vide G.O.5th read above.

3. In the letter 6th read above, the Commissioner and Director of Agriculture Marketing, A.P. Hyderabad has informed that the orders issued in the G.O.5th read above was implemented against those who are approached in the above O.A. and while furnishing the representations of Sri D.Raja Rao and other AEs (CMF Service) other than those petitioners in the O.A.No.4811/2010 in CMF Service left getting lesser scale for extending the benefit as ordered in the G.O.5th in respect of remaining A.Es. (CMF) Service on par with Assistant Engineers in the same Dept of Marketing and other Government Departments i.e. P.R., Irrigation and Roads and Buildings and requested to issue necessary orders in the matter .

4. The Government after careful examination have decided and hereby order to extend the benefit of G.O.Ms.No.14, A & C (Mktg-I) Dept., dated 17-4-2015 to the Assistant Engineers other than those petitioners in the O.A.No.4811/2010 in CMF Service to fix their Pay Scales on par with Assistant Engineers working in the same Department and other Government Departments like Panchayat Raj, Irrigation and Roads & Buildings since Revised Pay Scales, 2005.

5. The Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (HR.VI.PC) Dept. vide their note dated:15.12.2016.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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The Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P. Vijayawada
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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER